COPY OF PAPERS TRANSMITTAL LETTER FEB 1 9 2002 **ORIGINALLY FILED** O ARCHINET In re Application of: Docket: ACH2823US Johannes Wilhelmus Maria Sonnemans et al. Examiner: Serial No.: 09/942,830 Filing Date: August 30, 2001 Group Art Unit: 1755 For PROCESS FOR EFFECCTING ULTRA DEEP HDS OF HYDROCARBON FEEDSTOCKS: **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING** I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Assistant Commissioner for Patents First-Class mall in an envelope addressed to: Washington, D.C. 20231 Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 30101 Angelique Anderson Sir: IXITransmitted herewith is a responsive document(s) for this application. TRANSMITTAL LETTER IN DUPLICATE: INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT; PTO-1449; (14) DOCUMENTS; and CERTIFICATE OF MAILING □Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 of: ☐ Two Months (\$400.00) ☐ One Month (\$110.00) ☐ Four Months (\$1440.00) ☐ Three Months (\$920.00) The total fee believed due is \$ 0.00. Please charge this amount and any other fees which may be due (including filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17) to Deposit Account No. 01-1350. If an extension of time is required but has not been requested above, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time sufficient for the attached document(s) to be timely. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.56, applicants submit the documents attached hereto to be made of record in the above-identified case. A listing of said documents on form PTO-1449 is also attached.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date; therefore, no filing fee is believed to be required. If a filing fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge applicants' deposit account 01-1350 for the full amount of said fee.

This statem in the intended to represent that no better art exists. Applicants reserve the right to contest the applicability of the documents attached hereto as prior art in the event that any information is discovered which demonstrates that said documents do not qualify as prior art.

Consideration of the present Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested. The claimed invention is, however, deemed to represent a patentable departure from the teachings of the prior art.

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